UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL *(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))*	*Attorney Docket No.* 03500.013470.1
	First Named Inventor or Application Identifier
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS
See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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1. ☐ Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)

2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.

3. ☒ Specification   *Total Pages* 161

4. ☒ Drawing(s) *(35 USC 113)*   *Total Sheets* 29

5. ☒ Oath or Declaration   *Total Pages* 3

    a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)

    b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)

       i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed Statement attached deleting
inventor(s) named in the prior application, see
37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program *(Appendix)*

8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission *(if applicable, all necessary)*

    a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)

    b. Specification Sequence Listing on:

       i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or

       ii. ☐ paper

    c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement *(when there is an assignee)*   ☐ Power of Attorney

11. ☐ English Translation Document *(if applicable)*

12. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449   ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

13. ☒ Preliminary Amendment

14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) *(Should be specifically itemized)*

15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) *(if foreign priority is claimed)*

16. ☐ Other: _____

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17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, *check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:*

☐ Continuation   ☒ Divisional   ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No. 09/294,367
Prior application information: Examiner Ram N. Kackar   Group/Art Unit: 1763

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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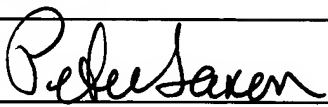| CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	24-20 =	4	X $ 18.00 =	$ 72.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3-3 =	0	X $ 86.00 =	$ .00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))		$290.00 =		$
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))	$ 770.00
			Total of above Calculations =		$ 842.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				
			TOTAL =		$ 842.00

19. Small entity status

    a. ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed

    b. ☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.

    c. ☐ Is no longer claimed.

20. ☒ A check in the amount of $ __842.00__ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

21. ☐ A check in the amount of $ _____ to cover the recordal fee is enclosed.

22. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 06-1205:

    a. ☒ Fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.

    b. ☒ Fees required under 37 CFR 1.17.

    c. ☐ Fees required under 37 CFR 1.18.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED	
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